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RES. NO. 4175

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DECLARING RESULT OF ELECTION

WHEREAS, a General Municipal Election was held and conducted in the City of Lodi on Tuesday, the 2nd day of March, 1976, as is required by law; and,

WHEREAS, it appears from the report of the City Clerk and the records on file in her office that voting precincts were properly established and the polling places thereof designated; that election officers were appointed and qualified; that election supplies, including official ballots, were furnished each of said precincts; and that in all respects, said election was held and conducted and the votes received thereat received and canvassed and the returns thereof made, determined and declared in time, form and manner as required by the laws of the State providing for and regulating elections in general law cities; and,

WHEREAS, in accordance with Resolution No. 4157, the City Clerk conducted the canvass of the returns of said election; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Lodi, meeting at the City Council Chambers this 9th day of March, 1976, to declare the results of the election and to install the newly elected officers, finds, determines and declares, as a result of said count and canvass as certified by the City Clerk:

(1) That said General Municipal Election was held and conducted in the City of Lodi, California, on the 2nd day of March, 1976, in time, form and manner required by law;

(2) That there were fifteen voting precincts established in said City for the purpose of holding said election, viz:

VOTING PRECINCT 1, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2401 and L2403.

VOTING PRECINCT 2, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2402 and L2404.

VOTING PRECINCT 3, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2406 and L2407.

VOTING PRECINCT 4, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2408 and L2409.

VOTING PRECINCT 5, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2410 and L2427.

VOTING PRECINCT 6, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2411 and L2428.

VOTING PRECINCT 7, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2412 and L2413.

VOTING PRECINCT 8, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2405 and L2414.

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VOTING PRECINCT 9, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2415 and L2416.

VOTING PRECINCT 10, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2417 and L2420.

VOTING PRECINCT 11, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2418 and L2419.

VOTING PRECINCT 12, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2421, L2422 and L2431.

VOTING PRECINCT 13, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2423 and L2430.

VOTING PRECINCT 14, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2424 and L2425.

VOTING PRECINCT 15, comprising State and County precinct numbers L2426 and L2429.

(3) That the whole number of votes cast at said election was five thousand seven hundred fifty-nine (5,759).

(4) That the names of the persons voted for, the offices for which they were voted, and the number of votes received by each of said persons in each of said precincts, together with the whole number of votes received in the entire City by each of said persons are as shown on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof.

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For City Councilman

Exhibit "A"

Precinct	GEORGUSON	GODFREY	KATZAKIAN	PETERS	PETZOLD	PINKERTON	TURNER	YOUNG
1	37	14	91	84	68	132	84	22
2	25	8	90	76	62	118	30	26
3	29	18	88	81	53	136	39	36
4	55	14	117	91	97	177	76	32
5	92	13	137	92	153	209	97	35
6	100	15	222	139	153	229	100	26
7	48	7	144	112	139	227	88	24
8	33	14	80	55	57	116	38	22
9	73	13	183	115	101	289	108	36
10	82	12	129	99	114	194	130	20
11	41	8	116	53	61	149	76	28
12	84	7	261	175	199	376	146	24
13	69	6	86	78	115	151	61	20
14	97	11	134	115	156	206	72	29
15	122	8	128	121	145	233	60	13
Abs.	<u>16</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>11</u>
TOTAL	1003	171	2047	1518	1700	3002	1226	404

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RESOLVED, THEREFORE, that at said General Municipal Election held in the City of Lodi on March 2, 1976, the following named persons were elected to the office of City Councilman:

TED T. KATZAKIAN, for a term of four years from and after the 9th day of March, 1976, and until his successor shall have been elected and shall have qualified;

JAMES W. PINKERTON, JR., for a term of four years from and after the 9th day of March, 1976, and until his successor shall have been elected and shall have qualified;

Upon the adoption of this resolution, the City Clerk shall enter a full copy thereof on the records of the City Council of the City of Lodi for its meeting held this 9th day of March, 1976.

REMARKS BY MAYOR SCHAFFER Mayor Schaffer addressed the Council stating that his eight years on the City Council had been delightful and added that it is rewarding to know that the people he worked with on the Council are doing their best for the community.

Mayor Schaffer then urged the Council to continue its work on solving Lodi's storm drainage problem, in pushing for completion of the Folsom South Canal to provide vitally needed surface water to the Lodi area and to move forward in providing new sources of energy for the municipal system.

OATH OF OFFICE The City Clerk administered the oath of office to Mr. Ted T. Katzakian and Mr. James W. Pinkerton, Jr. and presented a certificate of election to each.

REORGANIZATION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

MAYOR AND MAYOR PRO TEMPORE ELECTED The City Clerk called the new Council to order and asked for nominations for Mayor, Councilman Katnich nominated Councilman Richard Hughes. The motion was seconded by Councilman Ehrhardt. There being no further nominations, the nominations were closed. Councilman Hughes was elected Mayor by unanimous vote.

Mayor Hughes then called for nominations for Mayor Pro Tempore. Councilman Ehrhardt nominated Councilman Walter Katnich. The motion was seconded by Councilman Katzakian. There being no further nominations, the nominations were closed. Councilman Katnich was elected Mayor Pro Tempore by unanimous vote.

BEN SCHAFFER COMMENDED FOR SERVICES TO COMMUNITY Mayor Hughes presented to Ben Schaffer a plaque expressing the City's appreciation for the energy and effort put forth by Mr. Schaffer for the betterment of the City while serving as a City Councilman and Mayor of the City of Lodi. Supervisor George Barber also presented Ben Schaffer with a commendation plaque from the San Joaquin County Board of Supervisors.

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STATEMENT
OF ECONOMIC
INTERESTS

City Clerk Reimche presented to the Council updated forms and instruction manuals for Statement of Economic Interests which had just been received from the Fair Political Practices Commission.

REASSIGN-
MENTS ON
COMMITTEES
SUGGESTED

Councilman Ehrhardt suggested that all committees be tossed on the table and that the Council take a new draw on these committees. In this way Councilman Ehrhardt stated, other would be given the opportunity to share in these functions. Mayor Hughes concurred with this suggestion and suggested that all council members submit a list of their committee assignments at the next regular Council meeting, and at that time new assignments can be made.

DATES OF
INTEREST

Councilman Ehrhardt informed the Council that he would not be able to attend the San Joaquin County Council of Governments' Transportation Planning and Policy Committee meeting on March 12, 1976 and asked that a substitute be designated to attend in his place.

Mayor Hughes announced that the City Clerk will be attending the City Clerk's Institute at the Holiday Inn in Monterey on April 28 - 30, 1976.

Mayor Hughes reminded the Council that there will be a Cities and County meeting in Escalon on March 11, 1976.

Mayor Hughes then apprised the Council that he would not be present at the next regular Council meeting of March 17, 1976 as he will be attending the National League of Cities Congressional City Conference to be held in Washington, D. C., and advised that this particular meeting involves the current energy picture which is of concern to all. Mayor Hughes further stated that a meeting has been arranged with some of "our" legislators to attempt to get legislation passed at the Federal level which would eliminate the price squeeze that presently exists. Mayor Hughes stated that an attempt will be made to request the Congress to pass legislation which would require the Federal Power Commission, prior to putting in new rate increases, to hold hearings and actually issue an official order determining that this is a fair and effective rate. Mayor Hughes added that the problem has been that the California Public Utilities Commission has been reviewing the rate requests, whereas the Federal Power Commission has been putting them into effect. Mayor Hughes will serve as spokesman for the California cities in making this presentation before the legislators.

Councilman Ehrhardt reminded the audience that the Lodi District Safety Council will give recognition to "National Poison Prevention Month" at a meeting of the Lodi District Safety Council to be held March 10, 1976 and stated that there will be a speaker from the University of the Pacific at this meeting speaking on this subject.

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ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:40 p.m. by Mayor Hughes, on motion of Councilman Pinkerton, Ehrhardt second.

Attest: *Alice M. Reimche*
ALICE M. REIMCHE
City Clerk